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SUBJECT: DETAINEE RELEASE PROGRAM

REF: (A) SANTIAGO 7560; (B) SANTIAGO 6868

1. ARTICLE IN "EL MERCURIO" DEC 30 INDICATES GOC HAS READY FOR RELEASE 200 "POLITICAL PRISONERS" IN ADDITION TO 100 NAMED IN LIST ISSUED IN NOVEMBER (REFTEL B). NEW LIST HAS NOT YET BEEN PUBLISHED BECAUSE INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ORGANIZATIONS HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO PLACE FIRST 100. ONLY 19 ON FIRST LIST HAVE SO FAR BEEN ABLE TO LEAVE CHILE FOR REFUGE ABROAD, ACCORDING TO ARTICLE, AND ANOTHER 23 MAY BE ABLE TO LEAVE SOON.

2. SAMUEL NALEGACH OF NATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR REFUGEES IS SAID TO BE DEEPLY CONCERNED BY FAILURE OF FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS, "ESPECIALLY THOSE OF SOCIALIST AREA," TO ACCEPT REFUGEES. HE IS SAID TO HAVE CALLED FOR EXTRAORDINARY MEETING WITH ICRC AND ICEM OFFICIALS TO FIND MEANS TO ACCELERATE RELOCATION OF RELEASED DETAINEES.

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3. COMMENT. AS INDICATED IN REFTEL (A), GOC CONTINUES

TO EXPLOIT APPARENT LACK OF WILLINGNESS TO RECEIVE DETAINEES
FROM CHILE ON PART OF GOVERNMENTS WHICH HAVE BEEN CRITICAL
OF GOC HUMAN RIGHTS PRACTICES. MENTION OF 200 MORE
WAITING TO BE FREED APPEARS TO BE ANOTHER GOAD, AND MAY
BE CALCULATED PRODUCE MORE PRESSURE FROM FAMILIES AND
FRIENDS ON FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS TO ACCEPT REFUGEES. STILL
NOT CLEAR WHAT GOC CAN DO TO SPEED UP OUTFLOW
MORE EFFECTIVELY, IF IT PERSISTS IN RELEASING THESE
DETAINEES ONLY ON CONDITION THEY GO INTO EXILE.
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